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# City of Tucson Ward 5 Newsletter

May 2018

Friends:

Memorial Day was originally known as Decoration Day and took place after the Civil War in 1868. People visited cemeteries and memorials to honor those who gave their lives in military service. American flags are placed on each veteran grave.

In 1882, the name for the holiday was changed from Decoration Day to Memorial Day. In 1970, Congress changed the observance date of Memorial Day to the last Monday in May.

This holiday means a lot to me as a 27 ½ year retired Army veteran. My father was a World War II veteran and my cousins and other members of my family also fought and died for this country in the armed services.

As your Councilmember for Ward 5, I have worked to instill the values of patriotism in young people and for them to remember those who served this nation in the military.

I worked to ensure the City works with our veterans groups to have a Veteran's Day Parade and I am proud to take part, each and every year.

For the past eight years, during Memorial Day and Veteran's Day, a contingent of elected officials, groups and organizations have joined me in going out to the Southern Arizona V.A.

Hospital to present thank you cards to veterans at the hospital or getting treatment and the VA hospital staff for their work. More than three dozen schools across Tucson and Pima County, as well as groups and organizations, have volunteered to make thank you cards for our veterans.

To remember the 396 Tucsonans of the Greatest Generation, who volunteered to serve our country during World War II and made the ultimate sacrifice, I worked to ensure the completion of the World War II Memorial that is located in Armory Park. This was the idea of the late Gilbert Quintanilla, who had served our country and saw our community had no memorial to those Tucsonans who served and died in World War II.



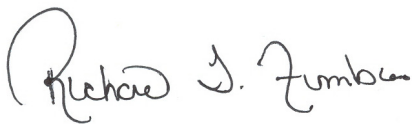
Thanks to my aide Melinda Jacobs, the list of who perished was put together and funds were raised in the community and governmental entities. This took 8 1/2 years and thanks to the Quintanilla Family, Melinda Jacobs and my office, the Memorial was built.

Last year, my office received a grant for student summer work projects. Two of the projects I had, was to have a mural of both the Buffalo Soldiers created, located at the Quincie Douglas Center and a mural of the five branches of the military, honoring Ward 5 and south side residents who serve and served this nation, located at the Ward 5 Council office. Both projects helped our young people learn more about our history, our community and the values of service and patriotism.

My office worked to organize the annual KC Club/Knight of Columbus 1200 Veteran's Recognition and Remembrance Dinner held Sunday, May 27. I had the privilege of speaking at the 2018 Memorial Day Event at Evergreen Cemetery. I want to thank VFW Post 10188 Commander Abraham Rodriguez for the opportunity to speak.

Thank you to the families of those who served our nation in the military. To all those who served and made the ultimate sacrifice, God bless you and you are not forgotten and here is the Veteran's Prayer:

"Dear Lord, Today we honor our veterans, worthy men and women who gave their best when they were called upon to serve and protect their country. We pray that you will bless them, Lord, for their unselfish service in the continual struggle to preserve our freedoms, our safety, and our country's heritage, for all of us. Bless them abundantly for the hardships they faced, for the sacrifices they made for their many different contributions to America's victories over tyranny and oppression. We respect them, we thank them, we honor them, we are proud of them, and we pray that you will watch over these special people and bless them with peace and happiness. In Jesus' name we pray; Amen. Today, let us remember all of the veterans that sacrificed so much to keep our country safe. God bless all of our troops and may He watch over them forever."



Richard Fimbres  
Councilmember, Ward 5

#### **GEICO APPROVED AND THE BRIDGES REZONED FOR DEVELOPMENT**

At the May 22 Mayor and Council Meeting, the proposal for the new GEICO Regional Office at the Bridges and the rezoning for four parcels at the Bridges was considered. I want to thank everyone who came out to speak on the proposal, which helped the Mayor and Council have a good discussion on this proposal.

I made the motion to approve the proposed rezoning and for GEICO's new regional office, subject to the conditions stated by the Zoning Examiner and Mr. Bourn's letter submitted. Here are my remarks given about the proposal and the GEICO rezoning.

My office held several meetings with the four neighborhoods, Bourn Company, GEICO officials and City staff on GEICO and the proposed rezoning of the pad.

Meetings have taken place between Bourn, GEICO, Retail West, the U of A and the neighborhoods.

Public meetings have been held, for which the applicant sent out notices to all residential addresses in the four neighborhoods and surrounding areas



Questions have been raised and answered. Concerns have been stated and addressed.

When questions about job training for potential construction positions was brought up, Don Bourn held meetings with neighborhood leaders and representatives from Borderlands Construction, RCD and Canyon Design and to host a job fair and hire individuals to learn a construction trade.

When questions about potential positions at GEICO or subsequent companies coming into their development, GEICO said they would host a job fair and Bourn would work with the other companies to follow suit.

The Zoning Examiner has reviewed the proposal as well as the Bridges Design Review Committee. Both have given approval contingent upon conditions that were set out being met.

Letters of support have been sent in, including: Eastbourne, Retail West and the University of Arizona, Las Vistas Neighborhood Association and the Pueblo Gardens Neighborhood Association. At the public hearing, testimony in favor was given by Willie Blake, President of the Western Hills II Neighborhood Association, James Christopher from the Pueblo Gardens Neighborhood Association, as well as neighbors and business owners in the Bridges.

In meetings I held with the parties involved, the neighborhoods have expressed their support for the GEICO project and that Don Bourn said he would work with the neighborhoods on the housing component and work with the Bridges Design Review Committee. Mr. Bourn also sent a letter of commitment to work with the neighborhoods, the partners at the Bridges and with City officials on the GEICO project and the other four parcels, which is part of the public record.

The definite project is the GEICO regional offices and their desire to relocate to the Bridges. Everyone supports GEICO. There is work to be done on a housing component and further development for which there is commitment from Bourn to work with all parties involved.

The motion was approved by Mayor and Council by a 7-0 vote.

The Renaissance of Ward 5 continues. I want to thank the four neighborhoods: Western Hills II, South Park, Las Vistas and Pueblo Gardens for leading the charge for economic development at the Tucson Marketplace at the Bridges.

GEICO will have 2,100 employees at their new Regional Office and hiring an additional 700 people to work for them.

#### **UA TECH PARK AT BRIDGES TO PROCEED, DEVELOPER AND PARTNERS ANNOUNCED**

On Thursday, May 23, the University of Arizona announced that they have chosen a developer for the U of A Tech Park at the Bridges in Ward 5. From their news release sent out:

The Boyer Company has been selected as the development partner to design, develop and finance the Technology Precinct in the UA Tech Park at The Bridges. The Technology Precinct encompasses 20 acres of land within the larger 65-acre UA Tech Park at The Bridges. It is being developed as a master-planned area that is integrated physically



and functionally into the larger UA Tech Park at The Bridges. The Innovation and Technology Complex (ITC) at the UA Tech Park at The Bridges will be the first vertical development in the Technology Precinct. ITC will include two buildings that provide a total of 300,000 square feet of office and lab space. ITC will serve as an ideal location for technology-oriented businesses and organizations and it will also serve as the Technology Commercialization Hub of the University of Arizona.

The Technology Precinct will include a full service hotel and conference center, a parking structure and 400,000 square feet of additional office and lab space. The Technology Precinct will feature an outdoor plaza and public space to serve both employees and the community. The Technology Precinct will advance development at the UA Tech Park at The Bridges, creating an "Innovation District" in the center of Tucson.

The Boyer Company is headquartered in Salt Lake City and also maintains an office in Phoenix. The company is one of the largest full-service real estate development firms in the Western United States. During the past 46 years, The Boyer Company has developed more than 35 million square feet across the country, including projects in Arizona.



The firm currently owns and manages a portfolio that exceeds 15 million square feet of commercial space. Currently, the company has over \$500 million of projects in various stages of development. The Boyer Company is capable of accessing multiple funding sources that will ultimately provide the most stable and effective financing plan for new projects. Over the past ten years, The Boyer Company secured over \$2 billion of construction and permanent financing.

"The Tech Park at The Bridges presents a unique opportunity for our company to work closely with the UA and the Tucson community," said Matt Jensen, a partner with The Boyer Company. "The Bridges provides growing and expanding companies with an easily accessible location, access to existing infrastructure and a location that offers a growing list of amenities. We look forward to working closely with Tech Parks Arizona as we plan, market and develop the site."

"With the U of A announcement and the approval for the new GEICO regional office, this will provide needed jobs to young people. This is changing a long 13 years of desert to opportunity for young people, first time home owners and our senior citizens. I am glad we got to the finish line and now it is time for them to get going for the young people," stated Willie Blake, President of the Western Hills II Neighborhood Association.

The Renaissance of Ward 5 continues. I want to thank the four neighborhoods: Western Hills II, South Park, Las Vistas and Pueblo Gardens for leading the charge for economic development at the Tucson Marketplace at the Bridges. The U of A Tech Park at The Bridges will be a great addition to the area, creating more jobs, providing services and helping our community.

#### **GETTING ROADS REPAIRED FOR WARD 5**

Councilmember Regina Romero and I have requested time to discuss the plans for road repair and work under Proposition 101 at the June 5 Mayor and Council meeting.

Under Proposition 101, a Citizen Bond Oversight Committee (BOC) is to oversee the road work and monies spent. The appointees from Ward 1 and Ward 5 advocate that the BOC should consider Ward equity and look at the two programs (Proposition 409, Proposition 101) together to ensure that Tucson's six Wards receive roughly the same amount of road repair over the two, five-year periods.



This committee had considered three different options but voted to consider another option which would include now unfunded Tucson road projects from the Pima County Road Work Plan.

For Ward 5 roads to be repaired, your voices need to be heard. The BOC's next meeting will take place Monday, June 18. The meetings take place at the Mesquite Room, in the Parks and Recreation Administration Building, 900 South Alvernon Way, at 5:30 pm.

You can go in person or send your comments to [cityclerk@tucsonaz.gov](mailto:cityclerk@tucsonaz.gov), Subject Line: 2012 BOC and put in your suggestions for road work.

My office has given suggestions as well and met with transportation officials, but the more voices that speak out, the more roads will get repaired.

Also Jesse Lugo, my appointee to the Bond Oversight Committee is willing to speak to neighborhood associations and groups about Proposition 101. Please contact the Ward 5 Council Office (520) 791-4231 and we will get you in touch with Jesse. Also, he has created a form to report potholes and other road hazards, which is part of this newsletter.

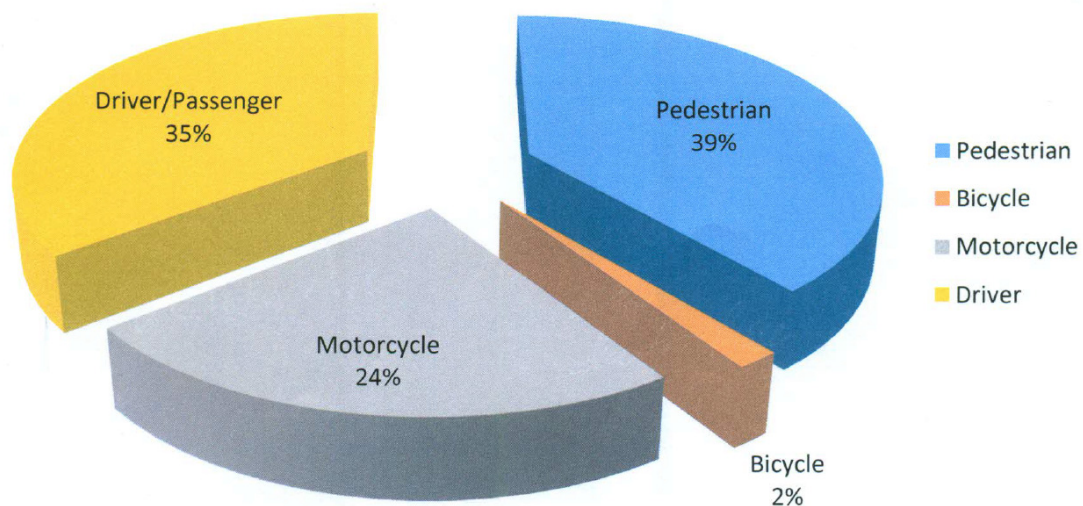
### PEDESTRIAN AND BICYCLE SAFETY

On the weekend of May 20, Tucson awoke to the news that the City had another pedestrian fatality. One bicycle fatality, one pedestrian fatality and one vehicle or motorcycle fatality are one fatality too many.

I scheduled time to be set aside during the May 22 Mayor and Council meeting for the Mayor and Council to receive an update on the City's efforts for pedestrian and bicycle safety.

Sergeant Mikeal Allen from TPD gave an update on the number of citations and accidents. Allen said the City of Tucson has placed a priority on preventing jaywalking as this is a major contributing factor to pedestrian accidents and fatalities.

## 2017 Fatal Collision Breakdown



In 2017 the Tucson Police Department issued 1096 jaywalking citations which are up from 587 in 2016. Despite these efforts the number of pedestrian fatalities rose 60 % from 2016 to 2017; pedestrian involved accidents account for 39% of the total number of fatal collisions in the City of Tucson. In 2017, 68% of fatal pedestrian collisions occurred outside of crosswalks and 36% of those fatal pedestrian collisions involved an intoxicated pedestrian.

The Arizona Department of Transportation just completed a statewide analysis of high-crash locations and determined that 9 intersections met that criterion in the City of Tucson. One way to combat this issue is to deploy safety corridors which consist of signage and flashing lights. A similar corridor was put in at 22nd Street south of Santa Rita Park and the results have been a dramatic decrease in accidents of all kinds in the area as drivers are made more vigilant.

I have been speaking with Karla Petty of the Federal Highway Administration and there are potential opportunities for funding of safety corridors through the FHWA's accelerating safety activities program, Highway Safety Improvement Program (HSIP) project, and Pedestrian Safety Action Grants. When this comes back in August for Mayor and Council review, I moved that staff work with FHWA, ADOT and GOHS for potential grants for safety corridors and for the pedestrian safety action plan to be completed and for mayor and council to review it and TDOT's reply to ADOT's high crash signalized areas report.

#### KC CLUB VETERANS RECOGNITION AND REMEMBRANCE

The KC Club/Knights of Columbus, the League of United Latin American Citizens and the American Patriot Memorial held their annual Veteran's Recognition Dinner, Sunday, May 27 at the KC Club 1200, 601 S. Tucson Blvd. Those who served our country in the armed services were recognized and honored at the dinner. Colonel Sandy Wilson with the United States Air Force was the keynote speaker.

I want to thank Dan Eckstrom, Tom Boyle, Lupita Robles, Linda Leatherman, Ronnie Reyna, Mark Kerr, Mary Kuchar and Jim Rodriguez from the KC Club/ Knights of Columbus for their efforts on this event. I also want to thank Cassandra Becerra from Congressman Raul Grijalva's office, Max Dell'Oliver from Congressman Tom O'Halleran's office for being at the event to present the certificates to the veterans. I want to thank Congresswoman Martha McSally's office for doing certificates as well for the honorees. I also want to thank Tucson Troop Support and the American Patriot Memorial for their recognition of the veterans at the dinner.



### THANK YOU CARDS GIVEN AT VA

For the eighth year, several elected officials and organizations joined me Friday, May 25, to go out to the Southern Arizona VA Hospital to present the veterans at the hospital and staff, thank you cards made by students from Tucson and Pima County schools and young people with groups and organizations.

I want to thank the Southern Arizona VA Hospital staff for letting us come out to do this for those who served our country. I want to thank the staff for their commitment to our veterans. I also want to specially thank Theresa Maley with the VA who has worked with us on these tours each time we have done this.

I want to thank State Senator Andrea Dalessandro, Pima County Sheriff Mark Napier, South Tucson Mayor Bob Teso, South Tucson Vice Mayor Herman Lopez, Tucson Ward 3 Councilmember Paul Durham, Jeremy Thompson with Senator Jeff Flake's office and the American Patriot Memorial for joining me to thank those who served this county on this Memorial Day Weekend.



### YMCA COUNCIL OF HEROES

On Thursday, May 24, I attended the kickoff luncheon for the 2018 YMCA of Tucson Community Military Ball, taking place November 10.

I was informed that I was selected as one of the Council of Heroes, where the YMCA honors specific individuals for their military service. As a 27 1/2 year veteran of the U.S. Army (Retired), I am honored and want to thank Priscilla Storm, Michael Reuwsaat and the YMCA for this.

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Army	Richard Fimbres
Army Reserves	Michael Eastman
Navy	David G. Hutchens
Air Force	R. Tony Penn
Air Force	Eugene D. "Gene" Santarelli
Marine	Melvin Morgan
Marine	JoAnna Mendoza
Coast Guard	Jessica Christo



The link gives further details for this worthwhile event. <https://tucsonymca.org/events/military-ball/>.





### DREXEL ELEMENTARY

On Monday, May 21, I was one of several individuals and groups for work and volunteering to help Drexel Elementary.

I want to thank Principal, Eneida Orci, for this recognition of Ward 5's Love of Reading, Thanking Veteran's and getting students bicycles. The South Tucson Lions and Jesse Lugo and Lugo Charities were also recognized. Volunteering does make the world a better place.

### SNAPP MARKS 20 YEARS

The Southside Neighborhood Association Presidential Partnership (SNAPP) celebrated their 20th Anniversary of neighborhoods in Ward 5 and Ward 1 working together. I want to congratulate SNAPP and the neighborhood associations for their participation and success. I want to thank Supervisor Ramon Valadez, Tucson Mayor Jonathan Rothschild, Councilmembers Regina Romero and Paul Durham and Sheriff Mark Napier for joining me in recognizing the work of SNAPP. My aide Lupita Robles was one of several honored, which also included TPD Capt. John Strader, Sarah and Earl O'Neil, Marjie Mortimore and TPD Capt. Bob Wilson and Sheriff Mark Napier, by the Southside Neighborhood Association Presidential Partnership for her work with SNAPP and the neighborhoods.



### HONORING CHRISTIAN SOLDIERS BREAKFAST

On Saturday, May 19, I attended the 23rd Annual Honoring Christian Soldiers Breakfast. I want to thank Evangelist Cherry Jackson, Ron Burton, and the Breakfast Committee for the opportunity to speak at this event and present Certificates of Appreciation to the honorees.



**CENTER FOR OPPORTUNITY ANNOUNCES GRAND OPENING**

On May 12, I had the privilege of attending the press conference for the announcement for the HSL Lopez Family Center for Opportunity, located at 4550 South Palo Verde at the former Holiday Inn Holidome.

Gospel Rescue Mission and La Frontera are the anchor providers for this. Twenty two agencies and organizations are also a part of the Center. I want to thank Humberto Lopez and Czarina Lopez and the HSL Lopez Family Foundation for their commitment to the Center for Opportunity and to help those in need. I also want to thank Armando Rios and Omar Mireles as well for their work to make the Center for Opportunity a reality.



I want to thank Roy Tullgren, Lisa Chastain and the Gospel Rescue Mission, as well as Daniel Ranieri and La Frontera for leading the effort, which the grand opening will be in the Spring 2019.

**RAYTHEON EXPANSION RIBBON CUTTING**

On May 10, I took part in the dedication of the new facilities for Raytheon's expansion in Ward 5 at Aero Park. Raytheon has constructed three buildings as part of this effort and hiring 1,975 additional employees. When completed by 2020, this construction will total \$500 million dollars. This expansion is just another part of the Renaissance of Ward 5 and the South side.





### AMAZON TO BUILD FULFILLMENT CENTER IN TUCSON

Amazon has announced that it plans to open an 855,000-square-foot fulfillment center just south of Kolb and Valencia roads and hire more than 1,500 workers. Amazon will lease the property at the Port of Tucson from developer Seefried Industrial Properties Inc. Construction is set to begin next month, with the planned opening in June 2019. Once the building is completed, the land will be annexed into the City of Tucson. Major retailers already have expressed interest in locating near the center.

### ICS RIBBON CUTTING AT EL RIO NEIGHBORHOOD CENTER OFFICE

On Wednesday, May 9, I attended the ribbon cutting for Interfaith Community Services new office at the El Pueblo Center, 101 West Irvington Road. The idea for this new office came a meeting I had with Daniel Stoltzfus, ICS CEO. ICS helps those who are in need. Welcome ICS to Ward 5 and the South side.



### RACIAL RECONCILIATION CONFERENCE JUNE 7-9

I had the privilege of presenting Martha and William Wills of the Sunshine Ministries a Certificate of Appreciation and congratulations from the Mayor and also from the Ward 5 Council Office. The Wills celebrated their 65th Wedding Anniversary on April 4th. They do so much for our community through the Racial Reconciliation Conference they hold each year.

The 32nd Awakening Conference will take Thursday, June 7 through Saturday, June 9. The theme of the conference is "Changing Our World by Changing Ourselves." It begins with a presentation at St. Mark's Presbyterian Church, 3809 E. Third St., 7 pm. Thursday, June 7 celebrating organizations and ministries that foster unity.



The weekend continues 7 pm Friday, June 8 at St. Mark's Presbyterian with a multicultural performance. On Saturday morning, Cherie Gray, the executive director of Tucson Refugee Ministry, will lead a workshop from 9 a.m. to noon and a banquet will follow at 6 pm. at the Sheraton Tucson Hotel and Suites, 5151 E. Grant Road. All sessions are free, and the banquet costs \$65 a person.

Tickets for the banquet should be purchased by June 7. For more information, visit [rrcontucson.com](http://rrcontucson.com) or call 790-0866 to purchase tickets.

### PCC SERVICE IN DIVERSITY AWARD

On May 4, Councilmember Richard Fimbres and his wife Mary Fimbres received the 2018 Service in Diversity Award from Pima Community College during the Multicultural Convocation Class of 2018 Graduation Ceremony.

My wife and I thank Pima Community College for this honor and congratulate the Multicultural Convocation Class of 2018.



### MEMORIAL DAY SERVICE 2018

On Memorial Day, Monday, May 28, I attended the 2018 Memorial Day Service. I want to thank VFW Post 10188 Commander Abraham Rodriguez for the opportunity to speak at the service.

I want to thank all the Veterans Organizations and Groups who came out for the service and took part remembering those Veteran's who made the ultimate sacrifice for this country.



### EL GUERO CANELO DAY

As part of the Tucson Mayor and Council meeting May 22, Daniel Contreras, El Guero Canelo was acknowledged for receiving the James Beard Award, given to the best restaurateurs for their culinary achievements.

I had the privilege of reading the City of Tucson Proclamation proclaiming May 22, "El Guero Canelo Day." Tucson is fortunate to have the three locations to get El Guero Canelo's fine food in our city.

I want to thank Mayor Jonathan Rothschild, Councilmember Regina Romero and Felipe Garcia with Visit Tucson for organizing the presentation.





**JUNE NEIGHBORHOOD MEETINGS**

South Park Neighborhood Association - Monday, June 4 at 6:00 pm, Quincie Douglas Center, 1575 E. 36th St.

Fairgrounds Neighborhood Association - Thursday, June 7 at 6:00 pm at Ward 5 Council Office, 4300 S. Park Avenue.

Barrio Santa Rosa Neighborhood Association - Monday, June 11 at 6:00 pm, Santa Rosa Library, 1075 S. 10th Avenue.

Campus Community Relations Committee (CCRC) - Tuesday, June 12th at 6:00 pm, Student Union Memorial Center, Ventana Room, 4th Floor, 1303 E. University Blvd.

Barrio Santa Rita Neighborhood Association - Tuesday, June 19 at 6:00 pm, Santa Cruz Parish, Good Shepherd Room, 1220 S. 6th Ave.

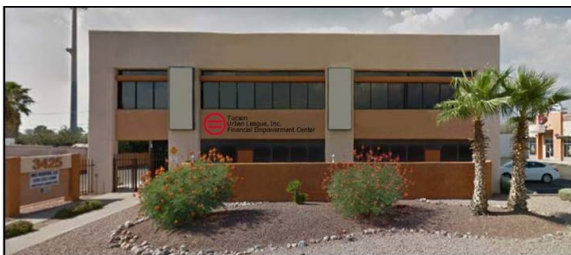
SNAPP (Southside Neighborhood Assn. Presidential Partnership) - Thursday, June 21 at 6:00 pm at Ward 5 Council Office, 4300 S. Park Avenue.

Cherry Avenue Neighborhood Association, Saturday, June 16, 10 am, 5085 S. Cherry Avenue.

**KIDS CAN BEAT THE HEAT FOR FREE AT A CITY POOL**

The City of Tucson invites kids 17 and under to swim for free this summer. City pools open tomorrow, May 31, and free admission will be in place until the end of the summer season on August 1.

A fee is still required at the Edith Ball Adaptive Recreation Center pool. Fees there are \$2 for adults (18 and over) and \$1 for youth. In a Tucson 12 video from last year, learn why kids and families flock to Quincie Douglas Pool to beat the heat. I have worked with the City Manager to ensure that kids could swim this summer. For information call 791-4873.

**TUCSON URBAN LEAGUE ANNOUNCES NEW LOCATION AND RENEWED MISSION**

The Tucson Urban League (TUL) is now located at 3425 E. Grant Road, Suite 101. The new location is TUL's Financial Empowerment Center, where residents can get information and attend workshops about financial management. TUL will continue to deliver critical support services to struggling families, such as utility bill assistance and , entrepreneurial and small business education, job leads to adults, training/internships to youth applicants, direct families with youngsters to quality child and afterschool care to Project YES, home weatherization programs, activities for seniors and much more.

TUL will offer utility services through Grace Temple Baptist Church, 1019 East 31st St., Tuesdays and Thursdays. For more information, please call TUL at (520) 791-9522.

## City of Tucson

### Report Potholes in Your Neighborhood

Contact City of Tucson Department of Transportation (TDOT)

**Call: 791-3154**

**Email: [TDOTConcerns@tucsonaz.gov](mailto:TDOTConcerns@tucsonaz.gov)**

When you call to report a POTHOLE to be repaired in your neighborhood due to a concern of public safety, write person's name and date that you spoke with. Give the location (address or cross streets) where the issue is of concern. If POTHOLE is not repaired within a week then call the TDOT office once again.

If you choose to email the City of Tucson (TDOT) attach a photo or video of the POTHOLE location as this procedure is highly recommended. The best way is to use your cell phone, take the picture or video then forward to [TDOTConcerns@tucsonaz.gov](mailto:TDOTConcerns@tucsonaz.gov) with the location (address or cross streets) in order for City of Tucson maintenance crew to find it.

**IMPORTANT:** Please also request that the neighborhood streets in your area be scheduled for resurfacing or maintenance for 2018 calendar year.

#### Document the following Information:

Person you spoke with: \_\_\_\_\_

Date & Time: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Irvington to Kino 138 Kilovolt Transmission Line Project Notice of Public Hearing

A public hearing will be held before the Arizona Power Plant and Transmission Line Siting Committee regarding the application of Tucson Electric Power Company (TEP) for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility authorizing construction of the Irvington to Kino 138 Kilovolt Transmission Line.

This project will strengthen electric reliability for TEP customers and serve growing energy needs in the area of South Kino Parkway and East 36th Street.

The line would begin at TEP's campus on East Irvington Road at South Contractors Way. After a thorough public examination of potential routes, TEP has selected a preferred route that would extend west along Irvington to South Benson Highway. It would continue northwest along Benson Highway and then north along South Park Avenue until turning east at East 36th Street and continuing to the future Kino Substation at the southeast corner of South Kino Parkway and 36th. Two other alternatives also are included in TEP's application before the Arizona Corporation Commission. For more information, visit [tep.com/irvington-to-kino](http://tep.com/irvington-to-kino).

### **PUBLIC HEARING**

June 12-15, 2018\*

Doubletree Hotel

445 S. Alvernon Way

Tucson, AZ 85711

*\* Proceedings will begin at 10 a.m. on June 12, and at 9 a.m. on June 13-15.*

*Public comment will be taken on June 12 beginning at 5:30 p.m.*

*A tour may take place on June 13 beginning at 9 a.m.*





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**Frequently Used Phone Numbers**

**Emergency Services**

Tucson Police Department or Tucson Fire Department  
DIAL 911

**Permits**

Planning and Development Services Department  
791-5550

**Housing Assistance**

City of Tucson Community Services Department  
791-4739

**Tucson Convention Center**

791-4101

**City of Tucson Code Enforcement**

791-5843

**TPD Red Tag Unit**

837-7318

**Graffiti Removal**

792-CITY (2489)

**Trash Pick Up & Environmental Services**

City of Tucson Environmental Services Department  
791-3171

**Transportation & Street Maintenance**

Tucson Department of Transportation  
791-3154

**Tucson Water Department**

Billing - 791-3242, Public Information - 791-4331

**Park Tucson**

791-5071

**Pima Animal Care**

724-5900

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